THE MARKETS.

A Week of Speculative Dullness and Lower Prices.

The Bears Having It Pretty Much Their Own Way Saturday.

THE WEEK.

Special Disputch.
New York, April 19.—Wall street was dull and devoid of special features last week. There appears to be a decline in values, mercantile business is dragging, and there is a steady outflow of gold. The movement in stocks has been variable, but generally it has resulted in a decline all around. In the early part of the week the indefinite reports regarding the unsettled state of affairs between the Union Pacific and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy had an unfavorable influence on the market. The Gould stocks weak, caused, it is said, by the report that Wabash would be unable to meet the June interest on the general mortgages, and that this road would certainly go into the hands of a receiver before the close of this year, because the interests of Gould and Sago were more largely in its bonds than in its stocks. The report would seem to have some foundation from the fact that Gould has

not given his stocks any decided support.

The rumor that Endicott would retire from the presidency of the Oregon Transcontinental caused that stock to take a tumble. The prospect of a war between Rochester and Pittsburg over coal business broke the formor, but it seon rallied on the announcement shat the disputed questions had been referred to arbitrators. The reported large decrease in gross and net earnings for February made Union Pacific heavy. Western Union was (affected by the progress made in the eastern states by the opposition telegraph lines, and the coal shares were depressed by the statement that production at the mines would be entirely suspended for another week. e prospect of a war between Rochester and

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During the latter part of the week the tone of the market was feverish, the falling off in Pacific Mail, Denver, and Rio Grande, and the Gould specialties being the principal features. The coalers rallied a little and became stronger on the announcement that a satisfactory plan had been agreed upon to restrict coal production.

Railroad carnings so far as received for April are very encouraging, and in many instances show considerable increase. Mercantile credit throughout the country appears to be unusually good, notwithstanding the increase in failures during the previous week. Profits continue very small, however, and the decline in railroad building is still showing its effects in the depressed condition of the iron trade.

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Railroads have been affected by a lack of confidence, which has been so positive a feature of the stock market. The volume of business has fallon off, and prices have descined in the majority of issues, although the decline has been contined principally to the seline has been confined principally to the speculative issues.

Governments were not so strong last week, and a decline of a to a is to be noted in the long date issues,
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State bonds were dull and price s show but little change.

Cotton speculation for future delivery at the New York market has been quite active during the week, but prices have been somewhat unsettled, with wide variations. There has been a brisk demand to cover contracts. contracts.

The stock market opened about at Friday's closing, but the bears soon raided the coal stocks upon reported serjous troubles with miners and that the military were ordered out to protect properties. Reading was fereed down 2 per cent., and the whole list yielded in sympathy. Union Pacific was hammered on bear points, and the stock was forced to 664 the lowest in Jany months. Erie stock and mortgage bonds were weak on rumors of serious loss in earnings and embarrassments in renewing maturing obligations. The second mortgage bonds declined to 855, but there was a gain in the afternoon of 2. The ex-Villards seemed to stand the pressure very well and only declined fractionally. In the afternoon the trading was dull until 1:30 o'clock, when the bears made a determined drive at Reading, Union Pacific, Western Union, Erie, Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy, and the grangers; these stocks touching the lowest figures of the day. There was a membentary reaction about 2:15 o'clock, but the general tone was decidedly bearish, and the market closed very weak and apparently left to care for itself by the buill leaders. SATURDAY'S REVIEW.

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for itself by the bull leaders.
Counselman & Co's Chicago special says:
"Wheat opened strong but closed easier.
Large realizing by the long side and they
sold out on the belief that there was no improvement in foreign trade. Much depends
upon the weather and the market was very
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Cincinnati special says: "Serious internal dissensions threaten to burst the powerful whisky pool controlling prices in the United States. Trouble has been brewing all week but not leaked out until to-day, when official report of high wines shows three cents decline.

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Transcontinental have demanded of President Endicott a clear and thorough exhibit of the affairs of the concern. The demand is signed by a number of prominent firms in Wall street, who state that they represent a very large part of the capital stock.

Philadelphia advices state that the Pennsylvania company and the Vanderbilt trunk lines will insize apon a plan which will place all the freight business under the complete control of the pool. The grand trunks percentage of freight is to be increased.

A Montreal dispatch says the Canadian Pacific rallroad, in anticipation of the annual meeting to be held here May 14, has ordered the transfer books closed in London April 15 and in New York May 6, remaining closed until the day of meeting.

The sales of stocks to-day aggregate 434,186 shares, including Central Pacific, 4,700; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 72,700; Eric. 25,710; Lake Shore, 6,700; Louisville and Nashville, 5,110; Missouri Pacific, 3,800; Reading, 41,450; St. Paul, 25,700; Union Pacific, 127,939; Western Union, 15,200; Northern Pacific preferred, 11,300; Canadian Pacific, 5,700; Oregon Transcontinental, 5,000. BANK STATEMENT.

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West Shore	733	922
Pacific Mail.	110	170
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BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, April 19.—Virginia 6s, consolidated, 41; new 10-40s, 343;; new 3s, 56% bid to-day.

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BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET.

BALTIMORE April 19.—Cotton casy; middling,
115c. Flour lirm and fairly active; Howard
street and western superine, \$2.75@3.25; do. extra,
\$3.50@4.09; do. family, \$4.75@5.70; city mills superfine, \$2.75@3.25; do. extra, \$5.50@6.00; do. Rio
brands, \$5.25@5.50; Patapsec family, \$6.25; do. superlative patent, \$7.00. Wheat—Southern red,
\$1.10@1.13; do. amber, \$1.10@1.10; No. I Maryland,
\$1.15% asked; No. 2 western winter red, spot, \$1.02
61.02%; May, \$1.03%; August, \$1.00@1.03%; CornSouthern steady; western irmor, closing quiet;
southern white, \$5.660c; do. yellow, \$4.660c; western
unixed, spot, \$5.75c bid; May, \$5.04@57%c; June,
\$7.688.60; July, \$9.90.95%; O. Oats higher and oulet; Southern steady; western firmer, closing quiet; southern white, 58661c; do, vellew, 54866c; whose err mixed, spot, 55%c bid; May, 56%c67%c; June, 57%58%c; July, 59%59%c. Oats higher and quiet; southern, 40%44c; western white, 42%44c; do, mixed, 40%44c; Pennsylvania, 40%45c. Rye quiet at 48%70c. Hay firm: prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, 314.00%15.09. Provisions quiet and steady; moss pork, old, 517.25; new, 518.25; bulk meats, shoulders and clear rib sides, packed, 75% 9%c; become shoulders, 85%c; clear rib sides, 10%5c; hams, 14%3051%c, Lard-Refined, 94%10c. Butter quiet; western packed 16%25c; creamery, 25% 38c. Eggs firm at 18%316c. Petroleum quiet and sicady; refined, 84%85%c. Coffee dull; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 94%10%c. Sugar quiet; Asoit, 7c. Copper-Refined quiet at 14c. Whisky Asoit, 7c. Copper-Refined quiet at 14c. Whisky 45%16. Freights to Liverpool per steamer dull and nominal; cotton, 6-32d.; flour, 1s. 3d.; grain 31%4d. Receipts-Flour, 2.455 barroles wheat, 86,000 bushels; corn, 70,000 bushels; cats, 15,000 bushels; corn, 70,000 bushels. Sates — Wheat, 566,000 bushels; corn, 382,000 bushels.

THE COURT RECORD.

Business Transacted by the District Judiclary Saturday.

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Circuit Couri—Judoe Hagner.—Baker vs. Ramsburg: judgment for defendant. Wagnervs. Adams Express company: demurrer sustained and judgment. Carusi vs. Budd. O'Neal & Co.; demurrer overruled; ten days to plead. Lyon vs. Continontal and General Life Insurance company; demurrer to fourth plea sustained and twenty days allowed to plead over. Smith vs. Carter: judgment by default. Hellen vs. Metropolitan Railroad company; motion for new trial; argument not concluded. Northern Liberty Market company vs. Kelly; judgment by default. House of defendant.

Eoutly Couri—Judge James.—Beach vs. Heach; sale ordered and W. W. Barman appointed trustee to sell.

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Grommal Court—Judos Wylis.—Thos. J. Lasenby, violating section 5479, revised satuties; indica-ment quashed on first count, and overruled as to others. John M. Rogers, selling lottery tickets; plead guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of 1990. Joseph Harbour, receiving stolen property; sen-tenced to juli for thirty days, to take effect after the sentence in 14521 is served out. Joseph Har-bour, receiving stolen property; sentence sus-pended.

NEW SHIPS. No. 8568, William L. Bramhall et al. vs. John Walter, sr., et al.; blilto quiet title, &c. W. Willoughty, solicitor. No. 2555, John Lynch vs. Brooke Mackall, appeal from J. P.

Court in General Term-Chief Justice Cirtier, and ustices MacArthur and Cox.—Assignment unchanged, Circuit Court—Judge Hagner,—Assignment un-changed.
 Eystiv Court—Judge James.—Nos. 2, 2½, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20.
 Criminal Court—Judge Walle.—Nos. 15254, 14754.

Real Estate Transfers.

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The following transfers of real estate were filed for record Saturday:

24th st., west side, bet. I and K sts. n. w., lots 51, 52 and 53 in Square 23, Thomas Martin and wife to James H. Marr dated April 4. \$1,100 ifth st., east side, bet. Tand U sts. n. w., sublet 8, in square 170, Augustus P. Crenshaw, 191r., to Catharine C. McAvoy, dated April 17, 3,000 E st., south side, bet. 22d and 23d sts. n. w., sublet 28, in square 170, Augustus P. Crenshaw, 191r., to Catharine C. McAvoy, dated April 17, 3,000 E st., south side, bet. 22d and 23d sts. n. w., sublet 02 St., in square 69, Robert Johnston and wife to Charles W. Bowman dated April 16.

E st., south side, bet. 22d and 23d sts. n. w., los 21, in square 69, William D. Johnston to Robert Johnston; dated December 23, 1851

D st., south side, bet. 22d and 3d sts. s. w., lod M. in square 681, 20 by 100 feet, Ferdinand Kach to Henristia Zimmerman; dated April 19.

County of Washington, lots 28 and 23, "Widow's Mire," called Washington Heights, Elieba Goddar, and wife to Edminy of Washington, south 15 of lot 18, all orlied 17, in block 4, Howard university, Anni 1. Barber and wife to James B. Johnson dated April 17.

County of Washington, lot 29, in block 20, Meridian Hill, Archibald Lowis and wife to Hunry A. Lewis dated April 11.

Schusty of Washington, lot 29, in block 5, Mr. Hossand, S. P. Joshin and wife to J. H. Johnson; dated April 14.

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bers. He said:
"I have been a commercial tourist for the last eighteen years, and have probably seen and endured as much as any other man of the and endured as much as any other man of the fraternity. About a year ago while in Provdence, R. L. I met with a most trying experience. I became conscience that there was some secret trouble undermining my life and that it had been sapping my system for a long time just as this mysterious something does with most people who are forgetful of their health. People may draw heavy drafts upon their constitution and keen it up for does with most people who are forgetful of their health. People may draw heavy drafts upon their constitution and keep it up for years, but there will come a time when these drafts must be paid, and with large interest. The stomach may become weakened by hasty eating; the lungs by sudden exposure; the heart by over-exertion, and the head by severe mental strain. At first these things may only be felt by an occasional headache; a sour stomach; a sense of languer or an unaccountable despondency, but they are just as certainly the advance guard of disease and death as were the troubles I had. As before remarked my affliction culminated while in Providence, and I was taken suddenly sick with what I supposed was typhoid fever, and largely, I then thought, as the result of the sirain and care to which I had been subjected. I suffered intensely, and it was with great difficulty that I was able to reach home. I consulted the best physicians that New England afforded, and at the end of four wocks I was informed that I could not possibly live ten days, probably not that long. I was reduced in weight from 260 to 145 pounds, and was in about as deplorable a state as any one can imagine. And yet, to all appearances, only a

days, probably not that long. I was reduced in weight from 260 to 145 pounds, and was in about as deplorable a state as any one can imagine. And yet, to all appearances, only a few months before I was apparently in perfect health. In fact, in as good a condition as nine-tenths of the men and women who are seen upon the streets to-day.

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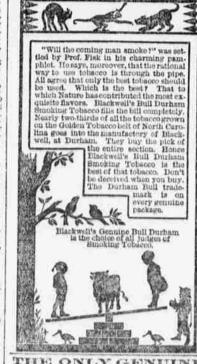
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